

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Summar *et al.*

Group Art Unit: 1638

Serial No.: 10/785,374

Examiner: Johannsen, D.

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Docket No.: 1242/58

Confirmation No.: 1629

For: THERAPEUTIC METHODS EMPLOYING NITRIC OXIDE PRECURSORS

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AFTER FINAL AMENDMENT C

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is responsive to the Final Official Action dated March 2, 2010. A Notice of Appeal and three (3)-month extension of time were filed on September 2, 2010. A Petition for a four (4)-month extension of the period for Response is hereby requested, thereby extending the period for Response up to and including March 2, 2011. A Request for Continued Examination is also filed herewith. The Commissioner is authorized to charge **\$1,270.00** (\$405.00 for the Request for Continued Examination and \$865.00 for the extension of time fee) to Deposit Account No. **50-0426**. Favorable consideration is respectfully requested in view of the following Amendments and Remarks.